GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA ABSTRACT

Public Servants - MA&UD, Department - Case under Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 (Amended in 2018) for the Allegation of Corruption against Sri Paramkusham V Raman, Executive Engineer, O/o the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Karimnagar - Prosecution Orders - Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Vig.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 47 Dated: 13-03-2024

ORDER:

Whereas Sri Paramkusham V Raman, Executive Engineer, O/o the Commissioner. Municipal Corporation, Karimnagar during the period from 1-09-2020 to 18-01-2022 and as such he is a public servant within the meaning of clause (C) of Section (2) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 (Central Act 49 of 1988).

- 2. And whereas the facts of the case are that on 13-01-2022 at 1130 hrs, the complainant Sri Avula Madhukar, S/o Lachaiah, 37 years, resident of H.No.3-7-333/3, Vavilapalli, Karimnagar went to the O/o the DSP, ACB, Karimnagar and lodged a typed complaint in Telugu in which he stated that he is eking livelihood by doing contract works as Civil contractor in the limits of Municipal Corporation, Karimnagar. He was awarded contract works under the scheme of "Pattana Pragathi i.e., 1) Development works of Park at ButtiRajaram Colony, Karimnagar for a value of Rs.12,70,564/-, 2) Digging of pits for plantation in 17thDivision, along with other 7 divisions of Karimnagar Corporation for a value of Rs.1,81,178/- and 3) Removing silt from the drains, from Indiranagar Junction area to Mancherial Chowrastha for a value of Rs.2,68,804/- through e-procurement for the above works, he entered into agreements with the Executive Engineer, Municipal Corporation, Karimnagar i.e., for Development works at Park at Butti Rajaram Colony on 09.02.2018, for digging of pits for plantation on 06.11.2021 and for removing slit from the drains on 30.06.2021. Accordingly, he executed all the above 3 works i.e.. Development works at Park at Butti Rajaram Colony on 15.12.2021, digging of pits for plantation on 27.06.2021 and removing slit from the drains on 05.12.2021. After completion of contract works the concerned A.Es' have visited the work sights and recorded the M.Books. Later the concerned D.E.s also visited the work sights, and did check measure. Later the bills reached before the (AO) Sri Paramkusham V Raman, Executive Engineer, O/o the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Karimnagar on 15.12.2021, who has to forward his bills to the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Karimnagar for sanction of bill amount. As his bills were not forwarded to the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Karimnagar, on 11.01.2022 the complainant approached Sri Paramkusham V Raman E.E. and asked about bills amount ofRs.17,20,546/-. For which, Sri Paramkusham V Raman, Executive Engineer, Karimnagar demanded him to give 1% of bill amount i e., Rs. 17,000/- as bribe for forwarding the bills to the Commissioner, Municipal Corporation. Karimnagar for Sanction.The(AO) Sri Paramkusham V Raman.Executive Engineer, Karimnagar further stated that the bills would forward only after paying demanded bribe amount.
- 3. The complainant was not willing to give Rs.17.000/- as a bribe to Sri Paramkusham V Raman, Executive Engineer, Karimnagar and Sri Paramkusham V Raman. Executive Engineer, Karimnagar is abusing his official position and demanding bribe from the complainant. Therefore, the complainant lodged a complaint before DSP, ACB, Karimnagar with a request to take necessary legal action against the Sri Paramkusham V Raman, Executive Engineer, Karimnagar.
- 4. As per the contents of the complaint, a case in Cr No 01/ACB-KNR/2022 U/s 7(a) of P.C (Amendment) Act, 2018 on 18.01.2022 was registered after obtaining the Prior Permission from the competent authority and took up investigation.

- 5. And whereas, Sri Paramkusham V Raman, Executive Engineer, Municipal Corporation, Karimnagar demanded and accepted Rs. 17,000/- from the complainant as an undue advantage and he was trapped by the D.S.P, A.C.B, Karimnagar Range on 18-01-2022. The tainted bribe amount of Rs. 17.000/- was recovered from left side front Pocket of wearing Pant of Sri Paramkusham V Raman, Executive Engineer, Karimnagar. His left hand fingers subjected to chemical test the solution in glass tumbler yielded positive. Inner flap of left side front Packet of wearing pant of Sri Paramkusham V Raman, Executive Engineer, Karimnagar is also yielded positive when subjected to chemical test.
- 6. And whereas the above said acts of Sri Paramkusham V Raman Executive Engineer, Municipal Corporation, Karimnagar constitutes an offence punishable under section clause (a) of 7 of the Prevention of Corruption (Amendment) Act, 2018 (Central Act 49 of 1988).
- 7. And whereas, the Government of Telangana being the competent authority to remove Sri Paramkusham V Raman, Executive Engineer, Municipal Corporation, Karimnagar from his office after carefully examining the material i.e., F.I.R., Pre Trap & Post Trap proceedings, preliminary report, Final Report. connected records etc., placed before them in respect of said allegations and having regard to the circumstances of the case, considered that Sri Paramkusham V Raman, Executive Engineer, Municipal Corporation, Karimnagar should be prosecuted in a competent court of law for the aforesaid offences.
- 8. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (b) of subsection (1) of section 19 of the Prevention of Corruption (Amendment) Act, 2018 (Central Act 49 of 1988), the Government of Telangana hereby accord sanction for the prosecution of said Sri Paramkusham V Raman, Executive Engineer, Municipal Corporation, Karimnagar for the offences punishable under section clause (a) of 7 of the Prevention of Corruption (Amendment) Act, 2018 and for any other cognate offence punishable under any other provisions of law for the time being in force in respect of the above said acts and for taking cognizance of the said offences by the court of competent jurisdiction.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

M.DANA KISHORE
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau,
Telangana State, Hyderabad.
Sc/Sf.

// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER